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| Subject:       | <b>Neart na Gaoithe Offshore Wind Farm: Wind Turbine Commissioning – CTV details updated</b>   |
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**Mariners are advised that Neart na Gaoithe Offshore Wind Farm Limited (NnGOWL) has commenced the installation of offshore wind turbines within the Neart Na Gaoithe (NnG) Wind Farm Area. Offshore Wind Turbine commissioning works commenced in March 2024 and is currently ongoing.**

35 wind turbines (+ 3 partially installed turbines) have been installed onto pre-installed jackets in the NnG Wind Farm Area. The turbines were brought to site and installed from the Port of Dundee by the *Blue Tern* vessel (call sign: 9HA5208) and WTG commissioning was carried out using the *HST Swansea* call sign (MNGM8) that has been replaced by the *HST Millie* vessel (call sign:MOAN6) from the 16th September 2023 at the earliest.

The *Farra Ciara* (call sign: MKPT9) and *Farra Emer* (call sign: MNDD6) CTVs have left NnG site on the 11<sup>th</sup> of May 2024. Crew transfer support is provided by the *HST Padstow* vessel (call sign: MORL8) from the 20<sup>th</sup> of May 2024.

The *Manor Victor* CTV (call sign: MLR19) will be supporting the refuelling works for the WTG temporary generators from the 9<sup>th</sup> November at the earliest. The *Windcat 16* (call sign: 2BOO8) has replaced the *Windcat 19* (call sign: 2ATD3). The *Windcat 16* (call sign: 2BOO8) and *Windcat 20* (call sign: 2CQX8) CTVs are assisting with rectification works on the turbine platforms. Additional refuelling support will be provided from the *Manor Vulcan* (call sign: MLRK6) vessel from the 7<sup>th</sup> of January 2024.

The *NOS Completer* (call sign: 2DLB8) has been replaced by the *NOS Seeker* (call sign: OUWJ2) from the 4<sup>th</sup> of July 2025. The *NOS Seeker* is providing additional commissioning support.

The *VOS Stone* (call sign: PBMW) and *Green Storm* (call sign: 2EXU3) vessels have left NnG Site.

Additional vessel information and contact details will be updated in subsequent notices.

**Area of Operations**

Mariners are advised that the aforementioned vessels will be working within the NnG Wind Farm Area, shown in Figure 1.

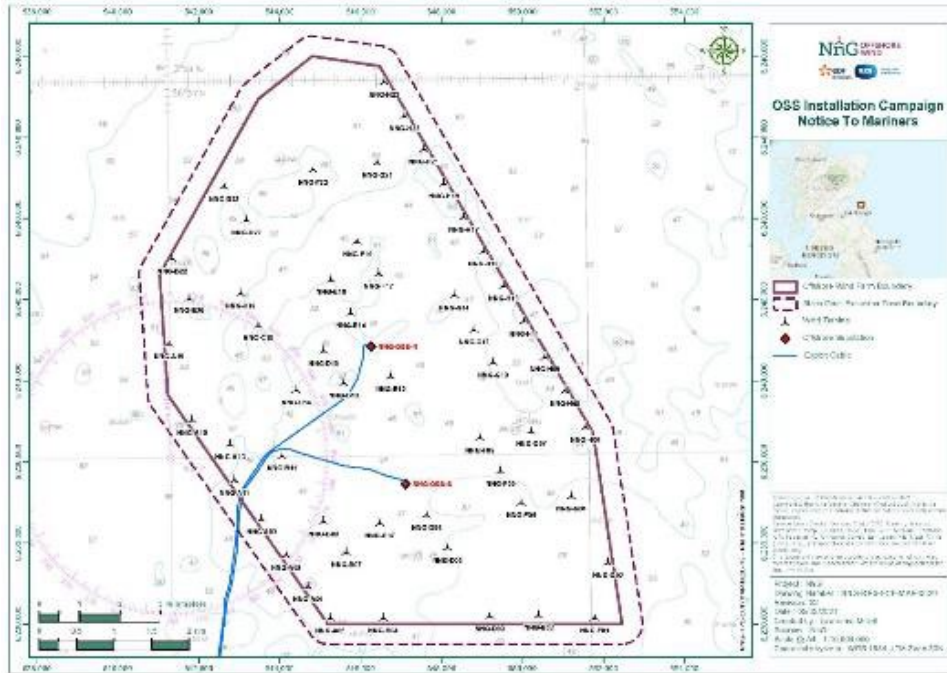


Figure 1 – NnG Offshore Wind Farm Area

All vessels are requested to remain at least 500 metres away from all work vessels and static fishing gear is requested to be removed from the exclusion area shown in Figure 1 and Table 1.

Vessels over 15m are also requested to have AIS turned on and detectable when in the vicinity of construction works.

Table 1 - Coordinates for NnG Offshore Wind Farm Area and Exclusion Area

|                      | LONGITUDE<br>(DD.MM.MMM) | LATITUDE<br>(DD.MM.MMM) |                          | LONGITUDE<br>(DD.MM.MMM) | LATITUDE<br>(DD.MM.MMM) |
|----------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| Wind Farm Lease Area | 002° 09.898' W           | 56° 15.271' N           | Exclusion to Static Gear | 002° 20.566' W           | 56° 15.680' N           |
|                      | 002° 13.998' W           | 56° 12.752' N           |                          | 002° 20.849' W           | 56° 17.468' N           |
|                      | 002° 19.628' W           | 56° 15.479' N           |                          | 002° 18.242' W           | 56° 19.938' N           |
|                      | 002° 20.232' W           | 56° 17.430' N           |                          | 002° 16.611' W           | 56° 20.613' N           |
|                      | 002° 16.518' W           | 56° 20.312' N           |                          | 002° 14.363' W           | 56° 20.392' N           |
|                      | 002° 09.255' W           | 56° 12.721' N           |                          | 002° 09.300' W           | 56° 15.334' N           |
|                      | 002° 16.293' W           | 56° 12.766' N           |                          | 002° 08.661' W           | 56° 12.651' N           |
|                      | 002° 20.055' W           | 56° 15.827' N           |                          | 002° 09.058' W           | 56° 12.405' N           |
|                      | 002° 17.826' W           | 56° 19.752' N           |                          | 002° 16.505' W           | 56° 12.410' N           |
| 002° 14.910' W       | 56° 20.171' N            |                         |                          |                          |                         |

**Schedule**

The turbine installation work commenced from 15<sup>th</sup> of July 2023 and is currently ongoing. It is anticipated that the installation works will continue throughout 2023.

Weather permitting, construction works will be carried out on a continuous basis, 24-hours per day, seven days a week.

For updates on the progress of the works, information will be provided in the Weekly Notice of Operations available on the NnG project website: <https://nngoffshorewind.com/resources/>.

**Vessels Associated with the Activity**

*Table 2 – NOS Seeker Vessel Details*

|   |                                  |
|---|----------------------------------|
| Vessel name:  | NOS Seeker                       |
| Vessel type:  | Offshore Supply Ship             |
| Vessel role:  | Additional Commissioning Support |
| Call sign:  | OUIWJ2                           |
| Maritime Mobile Service Identity:   | 219032961                        |
| IMO:  | NA                               |
| On board contact:   | TBC                              |
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*Table 3 – HST Padstow Vessel Details*

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|-----------------------------------|---|
| Vessel name:                      | HST Padstow   |
| Vessel type:                      | Offshore Supply Ship  |
| Vessel role:                      | Crew Transfer Vessel  |
| Call sign:                        | MORL8   |
| Maritime Mobile Service Identity: | 232052713   |
| IMO:                              | 9947184   |
| On board contact:                 | TBC<br><br>Onshore:<br>DPA : Neville Metcalf<br>Contact details: +44 7939 930258<br>Email address: nmetcalf@purus.com |



Table 4 – Manor Victor Vessel Details

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|-----------------------------------|----------------------|
| Vessel name:                      | Manor Victor         |
| Vessel role:                      | Crew Transfer Vessel |
| Call sign:                        | MLR19                |
| IMO:                              | 9958937              |
| Maritime Mobile Service Identity: | 232042483            |
| On board contact:                 | TBC                  |



Table 5- Manor Vulcan Vessel Details

|                                   |                      |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|
| Vessel name:                      | Manor Vulcan         |
| Vessel role:                      | Crew Transfer Vessel |
| Call sign:                        | MLRK6                |
| IMO:                              | 9958925              |
| Maritime Mobile Service Identity: | 232042488            |
| On board contact:                 | TBC                  |



*Table 6 – HST Millie Vessel Details*

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|-----------------------------------|---|
| Vessel name:                      | HST Millie  |
| Vessel Type and Dimensions        | Turbine Commissioning Vessel                            |
| Vessel role:                      | Turbine commissioning                                   |
| Call sign:                        | MOAN6   |
| Maritime Mobile Service Identity: | 232048990   |
| IMO:                              | 1018028   |
| On board contact:                 | Tel: +44 7715 637335<br>Email: HSTMillie@Puruuswind.com |
| Onshore representative:           | tbc   |
|                                   |   |

*Table 7 – Windcat 16 Vessel Details*

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|--------------|----------------------------------|
| Vessel name: | Windcat 16                       |
| Vessel type: | CTV                              |
| Vessel role: | CTV (SAIPEM rectification works) |
| Call sign:   | 2B008                            |



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| Maritime Mobile Service Identity:  | 235067955   |
| On board contact:  | Contact name: Vessel Master<br>Email: TBC<br>Phone: TBC<br>SAT com: TBC |
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Table 8 – Windcat 20 Vessel Details

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|---|---|
| Vessel name:  | Windcat 20  |
| Vessel type:  | CTV   |
| Vessel role:  | CTV (SAIPEM rectification works)  |
| Call sign:  | 2CQX8   |
| Maritime Mobile Service Identity:   | 235075026   |
| On board contact:   | Contact name: Vessel Master<br>Email: TBC<br>Phone: TBC<br>SAT com: TBC |
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**Adverse weather conditions**

Upon adverse weather conditions, if the construction vessels are not able to hold on position, they will seek shelter either around the Isle of May or within the Firth of Forth or return to a Port.




**General Safety Advice**

Construction activities are ongoing within the boundaries of the Neart na Gaoithe Offshore Wind Farm. Mariners are advised to refer to the NnG Weekly Notice of Operations where up to date information regarding activities on site is broadcast. A copy of this notice and the Weekly Notice of Operations can also be found at <https://nngoffshorewind.com/resources/>

One guard vessel is currently within the wind farm site. The guard vessel will be one of the below, which can be contacted as follows, if required:

*Table 9 – Seagull Guard Vessel Details*

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| Vessel name:   | Seagull  |
| Vessel role:   | Guard Vessel   |
| Call sign:   | MVBO2  |
| On board contact:  | Contact name: Vessel Master<br>Email: <a href="mailto:seagullbf74@gmail.com">seagullbf74@gmail.com</a><br>Phone: +44 (0) 1261 878040 / +44 (0) 7895 919100 |
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*Table 10 – Tranquillity S Guard Vessel Detail*

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| Vessel name:      | Tranquillity S   |
| Vessel role:      | Guard Vessel   |
| Call sign:        | MJUH9  |
| On board contact: | Contact name: Vessel Master<br>Email: <a href="mailto:spousekeil@yahoo.com">spousekeil@yahoo.com</a><br>Phone: +44 (0) 1346 454758 |
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**Marine Coordination Contact Details**

The following contact can provide more information if required. Please note that specific queries can also be addressed to the relevant vessel or shore-based representative.

*Table 11- Marine Coordination Contact Details*

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| Telephone number (daytime): | +44 (0) 1890 751415 (use Emergency contact only until further notice)                 |
| Emergency contact (24/7):   | +44 (0) 7508 421406   |
| Email:                      | <a href="mailto:nng.mc@smchse.com">nng.mc@smchse.com</a>                              |
| Address:                    | NnG Offshore Wind Farm Marine Coordination Centre, Gunsreen Basin, Eyemouth, TD14 5SD |

**Fisheries Liaison**

Fisheries liaison associated with the activity will be co-ordinated by Natural Power. For any commercial fishery queries please contact the NnG company Fisheries Liaison Officer (CFLO) Peter Berney, telephone: +44 (0)7391 402387 or email: [Nng.FLO@naturalpower.com](mailto:Nng.FLO@naturalpower.com). **An Offshore Fisheries Liaison Officer (OFLO) is present on the guard vessel temporarily in the wind farm area and can be contacted via VHF Channel 16.**

**Distribution List**

A central list of recipients is maintained by the company Fisheries Liaison Officer; if you are not the appropriate recipient of these notices, or do not wish to receive the notices in the future, please contact us at [Nng.FLO@naturalpower.com](mailto:Nng.FLO@naturalpower.com).

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